

ing scrape occurred this evening at De

Some trouble about mid which rose to a violent quarrel, in which Medlin shot Steele. The shooting occurred at 7 this evening and Steele died at 9. An indignant crowd gathered at 10 and were determined to lynch Medlin, but at the present writing have not committed the deed. The citizens are much excited as the affair is thought to be a cold-blooded murder.

lips & Co., grain and commission merchants, rumors concerning whose solvency created a flurry in wheat in the United States yesterday, is a very small concern. It has been on the ragged edge for years. The liabilities will not exceed \$200. The grain market here and on the continent the past two days has been strangely affected by bogus European news received by way of London.

A STRANGE CASE.

The City Marshal, of Pocatello,

Mysteriously Disappears.
He Had a Large Amount of Money on His Person—It May be a Case of Murder or a Case of Ship.

POCATELLO, Idaho, April 12.—[Special

telegram to THE HERALD. —Charles Deveney, city marshal of Pocatello, has disappeared. He is suspected by some to be the victim of foul play, as he was seen in the saloon portion of the town at a late hour last night with considerable money in his possession. He was about \$80 winner in a faro game besides a large sum. After rising from the game he took a drink at the bar, but seemed preoccupied and would not enter into conversation with the bar tender.

He was not under the influence of liquor, he had not been drinking during the evening. He had turned in no cash to the city treasury for licenses collected for the quarter, but left \$1,200 in checks in a safe supposed to have about \$1,300 in city money in addition. He yesterday sol-

three lots for \$125 cash, about one-half the amount he had previously asked for them. He was easily sold to merchants of the town and away they went. His debt aggregated \$800 outside of a shortage in city funds. He sent his family to the country a few days ago, but left the furniture in the house. His wife telegraphed from Rock Creek, near American Falls, to a physician to come out as she was expecting to be confined and her husband no longer was able to go. The board of trustees of the city, consisting of E. H. M. Bennett and J. B. Johnston, are pending their departure. The board of trustees will take his case under advisement at their meeting to-night.

11:50 p.m. — A razer was received at the board meeting this evening that DeVincentis, the missing marshal, was in hiding in the city and that he had admitted to harboring the fugitive. The razer was intended for the purpose of searching for DeVincentis. A warrant was issued by Judge Forrest of the county court, charging DeVincentis with a complaint of Walker and Bennett, DeVincentis's bossman, for embezzlement. A searching party spent over two hours searching in DeVincentis' dives and houses of the town, but without success. No one has been seen since. The search was continued all day tomorrow, when he told a party he was going to Blackfoot. No train left for that place after 5 o'clock a.m., and nothing was seen of him. His shortage in city accounts, it is now reported, does not exceed \$600. People are equally divided be-

that foul play has been committed. He was a resolute man and prepared for trouble at any time. On account of faithful action in office he was much disliked by the rough element. He had been playing considerable of late at immortal and

Trouble Over Pocatello Ice.
POCATELLO, Ida., April 12.—[Special telegram to THE HERALD.]—At a meeting of the board of trustees this evening, a communication was read from Rice, a butcher whose ice had been condemned by the board of health on account of being contaminated with arsenic, and that the arsenic was in the ice.

the ice was cut above the sewer opening was pure, and asking that arbitrators be appointed to examine his ice. Also ice cut by Butcher Swinehart, chairman of the board, and decide on the comparative purity, the cue decided against to refrain from

selling his ice; also to pay the cost of the test. The matter was laid over for action by the new board of health which qualified on the 14th inst. It is rumored that Kim has placed the matter in the hands of a local attorney, who will prosecute the board for damage to his business arising out of the action condemning his ice.

Jim Williams, the Ogden pugilist, arrived here this evening. It is understood that it is his purpose to arrange a match with Freeman, winner of the Freeman

Noble took a short time ago.
Bozardus, the telegraphic traveler
world-wide fame, is visiting here to-day.

A Postoffice Robber Arrested.
POCATELLO, Ida., April 12.—[Special
Telegram to THE HERALD.]—A telegram
was received this morning by Postmaster
Bean from Postoffice Inspector Watkins
apprehend one Frank Hinton, w

is a carpenter and supposed to
in this city. Bean put the matter
in the hands of Deputy Sheriff
Gundaker, and early in the forenoon that
officer spotted his man working on a fence
on Second avenue. He was not positive
so he did not arrest him. Bean kept watch
of his man, and as the deputy would not
make the arrest called on Sheriff Smith
who was in town, and who took charge
of him. Deputy United States Marshal

Dryden arrived from Boise with Inspector Watkins at 4:30 p. m. and identified a man, whom they took back to Boise with them at 6 p. m. as one of the Boise police robbers. It seems Hinton's pal was suspected in Boise and, on being arrested, made a clean breast and implicated Hinton. The whereabouts of the money is now being located. Hinton has only been in town two days.

Boston and Butte Smelting Works Burn
BUTTE, Mont., April 12.—[Special telegram to THE HERALD.]—At an early hour this morning the smelting works belonging to the Butte and Boston company accidentally caught fire in the revibrating furnace department and were completely destroyed.

The 400-ton concentrator and the for-
stamp mill were saved. The loss on
works is about \$200,000, on which am-
\$80,000 insurance is held by the compa-
The burning of the works throws ab-
four hundred men out of employment. The
smelter was one of the growing plants
the city and had a daily reduction capa-
of 400 tons of ore. Half of the stock
longs to the A. J. Davis estate. The

DeGiers' Illness.
St. PETERSBURG, April 12.—It is stated the illness of DeGiers, minister of foreign affairs, who for some time past has been suffering from erysipelas in the head, is aggravated by a very painful ulcer in the resulting in permanent deafness, and restoration from office is probable.

Resignation from office is proposed.